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1. ~~REDACTED~~ COMMENT: SANTIAGO EMBASSY TELEGRAM 3278 OF 31 MAY 1974 REPORTED THE VISIT TO CHILE OF ARGENTINE JURIST SEBASTIAN S O U E R FROM 30 MAY TO 4 JUNE. THE REASONS FOR HIS VISIT WERE UNCLEAR.)

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4. IN HIS MEETING WITH THE STATE DEFENSE COUNCIL [REDACTED] PROPOSED THAT THIS ORGAN'S HEAD, LORENZO DE LA MAZEA, PREPARE A REPORT ASKING CHILEAN PROFESSORS OF LAW FOR THEIR OPINIONS CONCERNING THE CRIMES OF THE U.P. LEADERS. [REDACTED] THAT THE U.P. LEADERS LEGALLY CAN BE JUDGED ONLY FOR COMMON CRIMES COMMITTED BEFORE 11 SEPTEMBER 1973, AND NOT FOR WAR CRIMES. A MEMBER OF THE COUNCIL TOLD [REDACTED] THAT DECLARATIONS OBTAINED UNDER TORTURE FROM U.P. LEADERS JOSE TOMA, GENERAL ALBERTO BACHELET, JUAN BUSTOS, ANIBAL PALMA AND ALFREDO JOIGNANT ARE THE MOST IMPORTANT CONFESSIONS THAT THE GOVERNMENT HAS AGAINST U.P. [REDACTED] COMMENT: THE GOVERNMENT HAS REPORTED THE DURING IMPRISONMENT BACHELET DIED OF A HEART ATTACK AND TOMA COMMITTED SUICIDE.)

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